

**AMENDMENTS TO THE DRAWINGS:**

The attached replacement sheet of drawings includes a proposed amendment to FIG. 2. Subject to the approval of the Examiner, Applicant proposes to amend FIG. 2 to show a stent 90 being loaded into a funnel 42 and onto a delivery system.

Attachment: Replacement Sheet Figs. 1-4

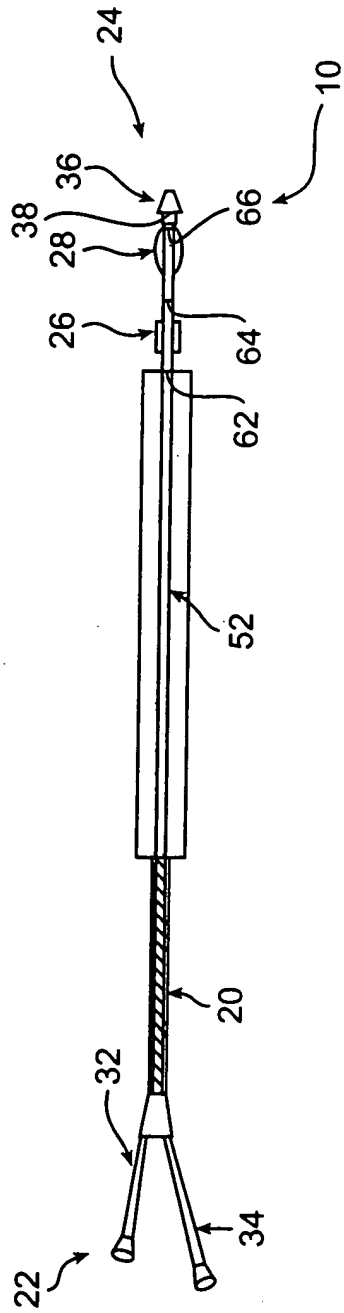


FIG. 1

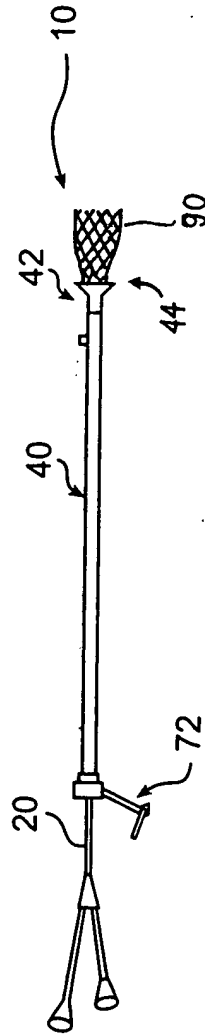


FIG. 2



FIG. 3

FIG. 4

